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BASED ON NOTCH PROTEINS
AND NUCLEIC ACIDS

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**THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 AND 1.97**Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with Applicants' continuing duty of disclosure imposed by 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, Attorneys for Applicants hereby invite the Examiner's attention to the references cited in the attached form. Photocopies of the cited references are submitted as exhibits to the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 and 1.115 submitted concurrently herewith.

Identification of the submitted references is not to be construed as an admission of Applicants or Attorneys for Applicants that such references are available as "prior art" against the subject application. Consequently, Applicants respectfully decline to use form PTO-1449, since this form identifies all of the references therein as "Prior Art." As an alternative, Applicants submit herewith a "revised PTO Form 1449" entitled "List of

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References Cited" instead of "List of Prior Art Cited." Applicant respectfully requests that the listed and enclosed references be considered by the Examiner and made of record in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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